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At practically old prices, and under existing circumstances the values are extraordinary.

Ladies, Misses and Children's Tweed Coats

Manufactured and made from the very latest styles from good heavy warm materials commencing at \$9.50, \$17.50, \$15.50, \$18, \$22.50, \$25, to \$35.

All up-to-date latest American styles, and no two garments alike.

FOR THE THRESHER

We have our Fall Stock Complete

UNDERWEAR

Stanbale Red Label	special at	\$1.50 per garment
" Blue Label	do	2.25 do
Combination Suit	do	3.75 per suit
Furs Camel Hair	do	6.00 do

Over all's at \$1.65. Mackinaw Coats from \$6.50 to \$14 all sizes. Mitts and Gloves \$1.50 to \$3 pair

P. W. HART

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Charges Reasonable.

Oyen, Alta.

To The Thresher

Our aim is to carry as full a line of threshing goods as possible to secure, and we invite you to come in and let us show you.

We carry a full line of Leather, Rubber and Canvas Belting. Brass goods, valves, tank pump and packings. We are here to give you satisfaction in a business-like way.

Our line of Beds, Mattresses and Springs is the most complete line you will see outside the large cities. Come in and see.

Acheson Hardware

Opposite the Bank of Toronto

Threshers' Requirements

Belting, valves, hose, pumps, oils, wrenches, greases and gasoline.

Sweat pads and wagon Hardware

Stoves, pipes, enamelled, tin and galvanized iron wares, Beds, Mattresses, Springs, etc etc

Oyen Hardware Co., Ltd.

John Patterson, Managing Director.

Local Items

Mr. J. O. Wortendyke of North Battleford is temporary manager of the Empire Lumber Company here.

Born To Mr. and Mrs. David Wardick of Oyen on Friday, September 7, a son.

Your health depends on good teeth. See that they are well cared for—See Dr. Taylor, Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Young who have been farming for the last four years in the Seal district, left this week for Lashburn, Sask., where they have purchased a farm.

Mr. E. T. Heffernan of Spennymoor has received the news that his son, Pte. J. G. Heffernan had been wounded in the left thigh with gun-shot during the recent heavy fighting. Pte. Heffernan has been in the trenches since last March and has seen considerable fighting.

Born To Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Longueay of Oyen on Monday, August 27th, a son.

Mr. Spaulding, who is representing the Gray Dorr Motor Company, was a visitor in town last Monday.

P. W. Hart spent a few days in Youngstown last week.

R. E. Pugh will sell by auction twenty-five head of cattle in Oyen on Saturday, Sept. 22. There are several good milk cows as well as a good short-horn bull which will be sold under the hammer. B. H. Ditt will wield the baton.

The Peterson Motor Co. sold a Studebaker to John Norton of Excal.

Wong Koo is having another story built on the laundry. It is his intention that as soon as the structure is complete, to start a restaurant and boarding house.

During the month of July the Acadipensititancy contributed toward the Canadian Patriotic Fund the sum of \$555.00.

The Rev. Father Dargan of Carstairs, Alta. was a visitor in town over the weekend.

A grand entertainment will be given in the Methodist church on Tuesday, Sept. 25th by the Musical Ekepharists, "Swiss Bell Ringers." This well known concert company have with them some of the best musical experts, vocalists and fun makers in the country and we feel confident that whoever attends will surely be satisfied. The proceeds are in aid of the Red Cross Society.

The Union of Alberta Municipalities convention will be held in Calgary, Sept. 13 and 20. Mr. J. Howard Alexander, will attend the convention as representative of Oyen Council.

Mr. John Naismith, Sr. left last week for Vulcan where he has purchased the Vulcan Co-operative store.

B. P. Marr, of the Remington Typewriter Company, Edmonton, is visiting at the home of Wm. McAllister.

B. Shaw and Isaac Wright, of Alaska, were in town yesterday.

Grading is being done in the east end of the local railway yards for a way which will be laid as soon as the grading is completed. The railway commission has asked that the station be enlarged and have received the promise that it will be done this fall.

Another Big Wrestling Match Sept. 18th.

M. Conner vs W. Anderson

Another wrestling bout will be staged in Oyen on Tuesday, Sept. 18, between M. Conner and W. Anderson.

W. Anderson is one of the most popular heavy-weight wrestlers in western Canada. He wrestled with Westergaard, the champion of America, in Saskatoon a few weeks ago, and put up a very hard fight.

Conner, whose reputation is well known in this district, holds the light heavy-weight championship of Canada, and has yet to meet his match.

As these two men are wrestling for a purse of two hundred dollars, winner take all, this match should be one of the fastest and best ever staged in western Canada.

Joe Quinn is having a residence constructed on First Avenue East.

The municipal office is being moved today so that excavation work for the new hall may be started.

B. F. Mitchell, engineer from Calgary, is surveying the race track.

Stop Right Here!

SUBTRACT—from your purchase every element of uncertainty, by making it sure where you can always rely on obtaining the very newest in **MEN'S CLOTHES**

MULTIPLY—the spending power of your money by making your purchases here where you obtain the very best value possible.

DIVIDE—the question into one of quality on one side and smart style on the other. You will find our goods equally attractive from either point of view.

Our new fall stock of Bachelor Suits for Men, and "Wear Better Clothes" for boys are here now and are sure to please. Give us a call

S. A. Miller & Co.

Saturday, Sept. 15th Last Day Of Guessing Contest

Our Guessing Contest will close on the 15th of this month. Be sure to get your guesses in before that date. Winner's names will be published soon as results are known. Prizes to be awarded by competent Judges. One guess with every \$2.00 Sale. Value of prizes \$150.00

1st Prize Victrola with 12 records, 2nd prize Suit of Clothes, 3rd prize a pair of Boots.

Order Your Fall Suits--Now

New Tailored Samples are Here—

Our full samples of "Art Clothes" are here in great variety in both Overcoats and Suits. Here, you will find Clothes and Styles suitable for your own family men. Remember with every special order we guarantee perfect fit and satisfaction. Place your order now for immediate or future delivery. Prices moderate

Our stock of Ready-Made Clothing is the largest in Oyen and every Suit has been carefully picked at prices that will appeal to the most careful buyer. All alterations made on the premises free of charge. Prices from \$12.50 to \$30.00

A Word About Fall Clothes

Now that the chilly evenings are here, you will be making up a list of Fall Clothes that you will have to order soon; such as, Pants, Sox, Sweaters, Mackinaw Coats, Sheep-lined Coats, Shirts, Underwear, Overshoes, Rubbers, Mitts and Gloves etc. Before you place an order come in and let us show you our up-to-date stock of work Clothing. We sell clothing of quality at prices that will appeal to you.

You'll Be Needing Furs Soon

We have just received a very large shipment of Men's Fur Coats Chamisso-lined Coats, Sheep-lined Coats, Fur Caps, Gaiters, etc., which we are offering at low prices, quality considered.

While it may seem early for furs we would advise early buying as both quality and assortment will be poorer as the season advances.

Tailored Cord Pants \$5.50 and \$6.00

40 pair only, Men's tailored Corduroy Pants made of selected corduroy in low belt styles, full pig top, loops and tunnel, pocket flaps, with raised seams and deep cuffs. These are the best fitting cords we have ever sold. Priced at \$5.50 and \$6.00

Watch This Space . . .

This space will contain news of great interest to every farmer.

Watch for it every week.

C. P. JOHNSTON

Clothier

Art Fry, Manager

READY FOR ACTION, BRITISH NAVY AWAITS DAWN OF "THE DAY"

DESTROYERS PLOW SEA WATCHING FOR ENEMY
Night After Night And Month After Month The Units Of The
Fleet Patrol The Coasts, Waiting For The Enemy Ships To

She was a torpedo boat destroyer—long, lean, low and black. That is, she was black where the salt of the sea had not bitten deep enough to turn her paint a neutral color, or these weird instruments lead the choruses of the happy sailor men. Music hall songs; plantation ditties, ballads of the old, old sea and its ships. "Keep the Home Fires Burn-

For one of the heaviest acts of the

[illegible]

of warships at sea

The report of the American Consulate for the Calgary district, which covers the entire province south of Edmonton and north of Lethbridge, shows that during the three months ending 30 June 1970, the exports to the United States from this district amounted to \$1,000,000. This represents an increase of about 500,000 over the corresponding period last year. The figures for the first three months, however, are \$582,827 as compared with \$9,843.50 in 1969.

The situation in Palestine
summer is the most serious since

ocean, a wave bigger than the rest swept along, tearing at the lashings which secured fittings to their backs, grabbing at knees and ankles, seeking to drag down to its ever hungry depths some sacrificial victim. At these times men paused the blight of a rope around their waists and the

with conditions:

passed, a unit of peeing passed a mile. "Well, I'm not a collector!" I'm He kicking "em up?"

The gunners seasoned warward. The gun had worked his way up from boyhood—passed along from father to son. He was clinging to a 3-inch thick glass harer, stretched between bridge and life-line.

This job was to keep an eye on everything; to see that all was ready in case of the need for a shot. On the line, he had the responsibility for opening fire as soon as any dark shadows came into view. "If there's a flare, or if the rule of the night is at sea, there's a shot," he said. "I'll ask questions afterward."

Creek, Honorable W. R. Motherwell, secretary of agriculture for the province of Ontario, says that the high prices for farm products were the result of the war. Surplus stocks had been exhausted, and it would take a long time to get the rush to produce every bushel of wheat and corn. "I don't think we'll get that in some cases," he said. "The best agricultural methods were not known, and it will take years for farmers to practice the best methods, so that the production might be kept up to the level of the pre-war years for many years to come. He pointed out that the war had a serious effect upon the fertility of the soil in Canada. "The soil in Canada must be prepared to do it,"

tailed solely by a savage brutality

In the stockholds, grimy men, clad in the blackest of attire, work in a dim atmosphere that occasionally glows redly as a furnace door is flung open, in order to feed an ever crying ~~open~~ for this is none of your oilboats

there is available for export from

stream is the rest of giant laboring men, who are struggling to save themselves unceasingly, for a chance roll might send a man reeling against the rocks. The men are not even allowed to actually realize what has happened his arm might be fast roasting. On the shore, the white painted walls caressing away in streams, the watch below the clouds. Some are stretched along the lockers, trying to rest, they know they are in deep, and they are not put in to the rest, try to

June 30 last was 9,748, namely, 3

old melodeon, a second has unearthed a mouth organ, from which at least a full octave is missing, and Sweden 146. The number of Scandinavian seamen lost in these disasters was about 500.

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All work promptly executed.

THE OYEN NEWS

OYEN, ALBERTA.

Wednesday, September 12th

War-Time Election Act

At last the new franchise bill has passed the government. The main part of the bill is that female relatives of soldiers now serving overseas are enfranchised, enemy aliens naturalized within the last fifteen years are disenfranchised, and conscriptional objectors are disenfranchised. These are the clauses so far as the rights of the franchise are concerned.

Although it is only right that wives, mothers, sisters or daughters of men now fighting for their country should have a voice in the making of laws in Canada, yet there are a good

many women, although they have no relatives in active service, who are just as loyal and they too should have the same privileges. There are hundreds of women who are doing a great work in the Red Cross Societies and in kindred patriotic activities. Does it seem fair that these women should not be able to have their say?

The disenfranchising of the conscientious objector is something to do. It is only right that if these men are not willing to make any sacrifice for their country, they should not have the privileges of a citizen. Although the speaker may think this clause will leave a loophole for him to evade fighting, on the other hand, it does not say that he will not be called on for some other branch of military service.

However we feel certain that every true Canadian citizen who realizes the seriousness of the situation will not try to evade service; whatever it is, but rally to the call and give their best to the cause that stands for "Liberty and Righteousness."

Frozen Poultry

There is an article of diet of which there are large stocks in storage in Canada and for which there has been practically no demand. This commodity is frozen poultry.

This unusual situation this year has been caused by shortage of ocean tonnage. A large part of the stock on hand had been sold for export but could not be transported owing to the unavailability of refrigerated space.

Canadian consumers, in the past, have not taken kindly to frozen meats. This has been due, in part at least, to lack of suitable facilities for the defrosting, which, if not properly done, results in the meat being discolored and unattractive. The time has arrived, however,

when only frozen meat products should be utilized until the surplus stocks are exhausted. In times of scarcity every advantage should be taken to facilitate the carrying over of surplus of one season to the shortage of another. Properly defrosted poultry, for instance, is as wholesome and nutritious as freshly killed stock.

The public is invited, therefore, to look for frozen poultry of which there is a large supply consisting of chickens, broilers, ducks, geese and turkeys. The trade advises that many of these varieties can be obtained at prices considerably lower than those prevailing for freshly killed stock presently available.

It is given as a suggestion that frozen poultry could be utilized economically as a substitute for beef and bacon on Tuesdays and Fridays. If special poultry or frozen meat days were arranged and individual retailers would attend to the handling of a certain quantity, it would be ordered accordingly and all arrangements made for the necessary defrosting. As there is practically no other market for frozen foodstuffs at present, it is a distinct advantage to this country, in assisting to conserve its food products of other sorts, that poultry meat be utilized, insofar as possible, in the way suggested.

At last the Council have become busy and have done something toward remedying the sanitary condition of the town. This week several men have been employed in laying a drain along the back of Main Street to take away the water which collects there after a heavy rain. Not only has this condition caused considerable inconvenience to the storekeepers but has been a menace to the health of the residents. B. F. Mitchell, civil engineer, of Calgary, is supervising the work.

There is every indication that there will be a general election. What are the citizens of Oyen going to do about it? At this critical time when our country is at war it seems that party politics should be left out and that the country should have a government with men in it whose interests are for the welfare of the country. A wily-war government is what we need and the citizens should get together no matter whether they are Liberal or Conservative and pledge themselves in favor of a national government. Other towns in the west have done this. Why not Oyen fall in line with the rest?

Services will be conducted on the first and third Sunday of each month in the Sacred Heart church by Father Bowen.

The new Chinese laundry and restaurant building on the east side of Main Street is nearing completion.

Pays For Experience As Many Others Have Done

One of the town's promising business men stepped into the office and asked for a reasonable figure on some printing. He quoted a city price of \$8 and said he would gladly give the home printer \$5 for a few less than the original city order. The local price was \$3.50.

Wanted—Board and room for lady—Apply S. A. Miller & Co.

After the garden project here comes another suggestion of supreme interest: In September on opening the schools all over the country, the teachers will teach their pupils how things to conserve—wheat, flax, meats and milk and the reason why. Such suggestion is timely, being uttered by the advisory committee on Home Economics at Washington.

A wrestling match will be staged in Oyen on Tuesday, Sept. 18th, between M. Connor and W. Anderson of Saskatoon. See posters for full particulars.

Ratepayers of Cereal R.M.

IN THE MATTER of the confirmation of the tax enforcement return of the Rural Municipality of Cereal No. 212. TAKE NOTICE that a judge of the district court of Calgary will be present at the sittings of the Court at Oyen on November 9, 1917, for the holding of the court of confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Rural Municipality of Cereal No. 212. ALL PERSONS who are in arrears of taxes to this municipality can settle same before that date and save added costs.

Notice to Creditors and Claimants

In the estate of Thello Perish Landon, late of Clemen, Alberta, Farmer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the late Thello Perish Landon who died on the 25th March, 1918, are required to file with the undersigned Administrator of his Estate by the 15th October, 1917, a full statement of the amount of their claims and the securities held by them, and that after that date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims which have been so filed or brought to his knowledge. Dated this 31st August, 1917.

The Trade and Guarantee Company, Limited
220 Eighth Avenue West,
Calgary, Alberta, Canada.
H. A. HOWARD, Manager

THE MARKET

Prices Paid At The Elevators
Wheat: No. 1 Northern 2.00
No. 2 " 1.97
No. 3 " 1.92
Flax 2.80
Barley 1.50

Place your order for trees, shrubbery and small fruit now. The past season has been ideal for the "ripening" of young poplars, aspens, larches and the rest of a fair warrent & supply of moisture for future growth. Apply J. A. Russell, Agent for Prairie Nurseries, Oyen.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

Pure Bred Berkshire Pigs For Sale—Two young boars, three months old; two sows, nine months old, due to farrow in September. Apply to K. G. Douglas, Assiniboia Valley.

WANTED—For the Oyen School. Apply to W. H. Peterson, Sec'y-Treas.

FOR SALE—One team (hay mow) in full, weight 3,000 lbs. Can be seen on north half 128-5, w of 4 W. M. Sanders, R. R. 1, Exel, Alta.

FOR SALE or EXCHANGE—for cattle 9 mares, 6 geldings, 1 chrysomelid stallion. Terms to suit buyer. D. McCaffrey, 32-25-5, Lanfrie, Alta.

FOR SALE—fresh milk cows. Albert Bakken, Nj 2-25-5, Exel, Alta.

FOR SALE—four good work oxen, young, at a reasonable figure. John Brattenback, 30-28-3, Oyen.

IMPROVED FARM SNAP west half Section 7-27-4, west of 1st meridian, Oyen district, improved, with well 90 feet deep. For particulars see write owner at 311 Sixth Avenue, Saskatoon, Sask.

GOOD residential lot for sale at a reasonable price. W. C. Hoskins.

FOR SALE—full milk platel hay burner with oven and cooking attachment. Thomas Leas.

FARM TO RENT—half mile from Oyen. Full particulars may be had by applying at the News Office, Oyen.

Tenders For School House

Scaled Tenders will be received by the Board of Trustees School No. 234 Exel, Alberta, at the office of the Secretary-Treasurer, (department plan A 4) up to noon, Sept. 22nd 1917, for the erection of a frame school building; plans and specifications may be obtained from the Secretary-Treasurer on payment of a deposit of \$5.00 which will be returned on receipt of a cash tender with plans and specifications.

The lowest of any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

J. P. Roraback, Sec-Treas, Exel, Alta.

Sept. 3, 1917.

NOTICE

According to By-Law No. 10, all buildings where a fire is kindled shall have a fire proof chimney, same to be erected on or before Oct. 1st, or chimneys be built and same charged to property owners.

By order of the Village Council.

J. S. Thomson, Sec-Treas.

\$675 \$675 \$675

House and lot on Second Ave. for sale: one hundred ditch, balance three, six and nine months P. H. Peterson



The Farmer's Convenience

The Bank of Hamilton is always ready to help the farmer regarding his Cattle Business, Sale Notes, Drafts or Deposits. Consultation invited.

OYEN BRANCH
G. J. Gibson, Manager



Thesherman Need Eye Protection!

Nearly every one on the gang need eye protection, and here is where you can get the goggles you like.

Cut Glass, the Every Ready Gift

When needing a present, one always thinks of cut glass because it is suitable for a gift on any occasion.

When you think of better eye sight, jewelry, etc. think of

J. W. Crockett - Jeweler & Optician
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The Oyen Billiard Hall

We have one of the best and most up-to-date Billiard Halls in the west.

We carry at all times a large and well assorted stock of Tobaccos, Cigars, Cigarettes, Candies, etc., and serve all kinds of Soft drinks.

Chas. A. Wilson Proprietor

Auction Sale

AT

OYEN

OF

25 Head of Cattle

Including some good milk cows, also Shorthorn Bull.

On Saturday, Sept. 22nd.

Sale commencing at one o'clock.

TERMS CASH

R. E. FUGH, Owner.

B. H. DIAL, Auctioneer

AN "S.O.S." CALL FROM FRANCE!

Thousands of wounded and old French peasants are seeking their way back to their former homes in the recaptured portions of France only to find them laid waste in the wake of the ruthless Hun. They are penniless, dejected and destitute. They are calling to their Central Western Canada Allies and to YOU for immediate help. Will their voices be unheard?



French Wounded Emergency Fund

(Under the Authority of the French Government)
President, H. R. T. The Duke of Compiègne

This fund was founded to render emergency relief to destitute and suffering dependents of French soldiers—to succor the wounded and to rehabilitate families in the recaptured and devastated portions of France.

Your Money is Needed Urgently to Alleviate the Distress and the Suffering in the Districts Being Retaken in the Allies Advance

THE FIRST APPEAL CLOSES SEPTEMBER 17th

Give! Give Generously! Give Today!

Where is there a person in Central Western Canada who would not give willingly to provide provisions, kitchen utensils, tents, etc., etc.?

Contributions can be made to any bank. In towns where there is more than one bank, a banking committee will be formed in the interests of the French Wounded Emergency Fund, who will forward all contributions to

H. D. SHAW (General Manager, Union Bank of Canada), Organizer, Winnipeg

LET EVERYBODY GIVE SOMETHING NOW

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Assets
Over \$73,000,000

Paid-up Capital \$5,000,000

Reserve Fund \$6,000,000

Advances made to responsible farmers on security of threshed grain. Bring us your bills of lading or storage tickets. We will make liberal advances against them. We also make advances to assist in the purchase of live stock or until surplus stock can be disposed of.

Our Savings Bank Department will take care of your surplus funds. Interest allowed at three per cent.

BANK OF TORONTO

Oyen Branch

B. E. KELLY,

Manager.

Oyen Harness and Shoe Store

Now is the season for

Horse Blankets

We have in stock a large assortment.

Prices from \$2.75 up.

A full line of Men's Shoes, Slaters and other makes. Also Mitts and Gloves.

We carry a full line of Harness at all times.

Repairs promptly attended to.

Thos. Thompson,The Harness Boot and Shoe Store
OYEN, Alberta**Oyen Meat Market**

We can give you the best

Fresh Meat

Also the best Brands in

Smoked Meats**Fresh Fish every Thursday and****Friday**

Meat Kept on Ice

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Proprietors

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Physician and Surgeon

Post-Graduate Metropolitan Hospital, New York City.

Recently returned from serving with Royal Army Medical Corps, in the present war.

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Oyen, Alberta

Doctor Lackner

Dentist

Graduate of Toronto and Philadelphia Colleges

Dr. Lackner, dentist, will open his office here for the first twenty-four days of each month after September first.

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Terms and date can be had on application by calling at the Oyen News Office or writing to Merryland.

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Benton, Alberta.

Sacred Heart Church.

Regular services will be held First Sunday in each month at 10.30 a.m.

Rev. W. F. Bowlen.

OYEN METHODIST CHURCH

Next Sunday

Prestigious Service 7.30 p.m.

Sunday School 2.30 p.m.

Worship 11 a.m.

Kirkwall 3.30 p.m.

Rev. S. D. Webster, Pastor

R. M. Golden Center**Minutes of Regular Meeting**

The ninth meeting of Council R. M. of Golden Center No. 272 was held at L. C. Michaels on Wednesday, Sept. 5.

Members all present except Councillor Fulton.

Minutes read and confirmed. Correspondence read and disposed of.

The following accounts were paid:—I. O. Jarmine, pound 87.10
Oyen News 2.10
Whitlock Lumber Co. 20.00
Union Bank, prom. on hand 5.00
Alta. School Supply Co. 5.00
Western Municipal News 37.50
P.W. Porter, labor 3.00
Canadian Ingot Co., Culverts 817.50
S. Baker, filling hole 2.00
Ben Thompson, labor 82.00
H. H. Earing, Aug. weed insp. 150.00
Love Vale S.D., advance 100.00
Can. Ingot Co., supplies grader 19.00
Ralph Greene, stumps 25.00
Road work (July) 1087.75
G.C. Wilson, expense for labor 5.00
W. J. Wilson, board etc. 635.00
W. J. Wilson, repairs 27.00
A. B. Hussard, gasoline and oil 12.75
W. J. Wilson, oil fuel 51.25
J. A. Watrous, oil etc. 12.15
C.N. Ry., gearing 14.25

Reeve and Socy, were empowered to execute a note for \$622.00 due Aug. 1st 1915 in favor of W. J. Clowen in settlement of grader and wagons.

Socy was instructed to write His Honor Judge Winter and ask in behalf of Golden Center No. 272, decision he rendered and settlement made in Joyce and Anderson case.

D. Joyce was requested to attend next meeting of Council.

Bullitt Earing was instructed to serve notices to all parties guilty of placing rocks in road allowances.

R. M. of Canmer was requested to remove rocks on road allowance from Helken-bridge for three miles north.

Edwards was advised, as he has removed fence from road allowance he is responsible for any damage which might occur.

Councillor Ellis was instructed to have cook car painted. Council adjourned to meet on Wednesday, Oct. 3, 17.

Corless—Brand

A quiet but very pretty wedding was solemnized at 4 o'clock Tuesday, Sept. 4th at the First Baptist church of Medicine Hat when Miss Matilda Brand was united in marriage to Mr. Alexander H. Corless. The bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. A. G. Dentman, and the groom was supported by Mr. Dentman. The ceremony was solemnized by the Rev. R. G. Blandell in the presence of friends and relatives.

The bride looked very charming in white silk crepe de chene trimmed with silk shadow lace and touches of ninon. She wore a veil and carried a bouquet of white roses and maidenhair fern. Following the ceremony a buffet luncheon was served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Brand.

Mr. and Mrs. Corless left on the 8.15 train for Banff and points west. The bride travelled in a navy cloth suit and pink Georgette crepe blouse and wore a large white felt hat. The young couple will make their home at Oyen, where Mr. Corless is manager of the Empire Lumber Co. The bride was formerly on the staff of the Toronto bank at Oyen—Medicine Hat Times.

Mr. and Mrs. Corless returned this morning from Banff, where they spent a honeymoon of a week duration. They will reside in their cottage on Second Avenue East. The bride was the recipient of many pretty and useful gifts. During the absence of Mr. Corless, J. C. Wortendyke, North Battleford, was in charge of the Empire Lumber Yard.

**Donald McKay,
General Blacksmith****We Guarantee Satisfaction****SHOP—Opposite the Oyen Livery Barn.****Oyen, Alta.****OilPull
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FUEL at one-half the price means lower operating costs, smaller upkeep expenses and bigger profits.

Bear in mind that the OilPull is the only tractor that will successfully burn kerosene and cheaper oil fuels at all loads, under all conditions—all the time.

The OilPull, through deep plowing and thorough soil working, is increasing crops for a great many Oyen farmers—in some cases doubling them. Burning kerosene, the OilPull adds this increase to your bank account at the lower possible cost.

A more dependable tractor than the OilPull can't be bought and you will find it able to take care of all your power jobs, whether draw-bar or belt. Two sizes, 15-30 and 30-50 horsepower.

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Local Items

Dr. Bradford arrived yesterday morning and will locate here. He has practiced at Macdonald, Man. for several years.

About fifty men came in from Calgary and Edmonton to assist in the harvest.

The Oyen Council has started grading operations on Main Street. The mud hole near the depot is being filled.

If you have a soldier's address who is overseas, kindly leave it at The Oyen News office as the Red Cross are sending parcels about Oct. 1st. Let the boys have a merry Christmas.

Holland Canada Mortgage Co. Money to lend on improved farms at a rate of eight per cent. F. C. McClean, barister, is agent for the Oyen District.

The statistical reports show that the campaign of the Kitchen garden has been extensively carried on in the United States. Two hundred and twenty-two per cent more was planted in 1917 than in any previous year. That the area planted amounts to 1,175,000 acres more and that this garden truck means \$350,000,000 worth of products.

The painters are busy today painting the house of J. Ozusut.

S. A. Miller is having a garage built on his property.

Local grocers have received permission from W. J. Hanna, food controller, to sell canned goods to the hermen.

The Peterson Motor Co. have recently delivered cars to G. K. Mark, Hugh J. Davies, I. Robinson, Geo. C. Meyer, Jas. Alston, E. R. Briggs, O. F. Kirkpatrick, George Currie, A. Bentley, E. Armstrong, George Frederickson and Thomas Hove.

Dr. Laekner, dentist, who has been at Banff, visiting his sister, Miss Laekner, has returned to his practice here.

Since Monday the weather has been the universally noted of Sunny Alberta, the ideal for threshing and the last of the grain cutting. Flax will mature without serious frost bite is the opinion of pioneer settlers.

Service will be conducted by the regular pastor at the Methodist church Sunday evening.

The Electric Light

The absence of electric light in Oyen for over a week does not look well for the town. They who have gone to the expense of having their places wired and have already had the pleasure of the light, feel that it would be almost impossible to get along without it. The electric light plant has now been running for over nine months and although there has been a good deal of dissatisfaction, yet the flame cannot all be laid on the owner of the plant for we believe he has done his utmost to give the service due the subscriber. In the conversation with Mr. Marshall, he said that the trouble was with the engine and it was not doing the work that the company guaranteed it to do. He also intimated that unless they could get more subscribers, it would be impossible to start up again, as it did not pay expenses.

The electric light system is a great asset to any town and now that Oyen has gone so far with this project, it would be too bad if it could not be carried on and made to pay.

Perhaps some of our enterprising citizens could get together and see if some system cannot be worked out whereby all parties would be benefited so that the town may still hold the reputation of being the most progressive town on the Moose Lake line.

"Some Soft Bullets"

Holyguany is now being strongly recommended in Germany. And people would make us believe that the Germans are not brave.

If the coal dealers in this town will be able to get sufficient fuel for us this winter, we shall certainly be glad to fill.

"Bringing up Father" was demonstrated to the full last week, when a good number of our town fathers arrived home the morning after the night before. Some say the fourth degree was too low for them. Not knowing we cannot say.

A burglar released from Parkhurst is said to have a brain like a Cabinet Minister. Great Gallipoli! Why didn't they keep him locked up.

"Blue" stood on the veranda clad in scanty attire. While the hour was striking eleven.

Says he, what fools they are, to keep me standing here. When I might be warm in bed.

The Germans have had their "Day," now Oyen has her "Knights."

That there rumour 't the village last Friday night? Aye, it were summat o' a rumour be- gund! Lor! there aren't being nothing like it in the town in my time. What was it you say? Why, ask McClean!

From a Cinema advertisement—"Keep you on the edge of your seat throughout the five acts of a story that unfolds itself midst the romantic pictures of Italy and England."—Audience Report. We gather that the scene is laid in the thieves' quarter.

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We feel that the public need not have been so peevish because some people of Oyen did not hear the row made by charity party last Friday night. The news spread all over the town next day.

A farmer was in quest of a tired man and he succeeded in employing a one armed man. Yet the farmer is short handed.

Before you turn on the electric lights be sure you know where the candles are.

Oyen has not a brass band so the school children are allowed to play the yard.

There is a woman in town who thinks so much of her husband that she invites him home for Sunday dinner.

At one of the hotels in a nearby town is a sign that reads, "If you want the bellboy bring the towel."

Some women have big feet, others wear white shoes.

A school teacher was at a loss as to how she would explain what a husband was. This explanation was placed on the blackboard: "If I were married, what would I have?"

A good cigar is a smoke, Most women are a joke.

The editor of S.S.B. wishes to know who the exchanges refer to when they use "We, Us and Our." It might mean the editor and his dog, the staff, the editor and his butterfield, and his sweetheart, etc. He and his neighbor's wife, etc. He is now in journalism.

An engineer is in town surveying the race track out in the country.

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